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## FIRE

### Does Great Damage To Village Of New Carlisle

Springfield, O., June 9.—In a fire entailing a loss of \$40,000 three business buildings and residences were destroyed at New Carlisle ten miles west of here early this morning, the blaze starting in Trostle's Furniture store, from unknown cause.

Several families had narrow escape from death.

## DROVE

### In Front Of A Fast Passenger Train On C., A. & C.

(Delaware Gazette)

Mason Smith, who resides east of Cheshire, had a very narrow escape from death at noon Wednesday when he drove on the C. A. & C. tracks thinking he could get across before the south bound passenger train came so far. The wagon was struck squarely by the train, and one horse was killed and the other badly mangled. The wagon was demolished. Mr. Smith managed to jump out just as the wagon was struck, and so escaped any injury so far as could be ascertained. The accident occurred at the Galena crossing.

## BALL CLUB

### To Fight Cromley's Claim For Salary

The Kansas City baseball club secured the release of its share of Sunday's gate receipts at Neil park, which had been attached by Tate Cromley to satisfy his claim for \$562 back salary, by giving him the sum of \$1200. The case will now be tried on its merits. Cromley about a year ago instituted a similar suit, claiming that the club has refused to pay him although he is ready and willing to work. The club claims he is not in fit condition.—Columbus Dispatch.

## Lodge Elections

**THOMPSON LODGE**  
Thompson Lodge, No. 7, Knights of Pythias, elected the following officers at a meeting held Tuesday evening:  
Chancellor—Commander—S. J. Simmons.  
Vice Chancellor—S. P. Payne.  
Prelate—C. J. Danner.  
Keeper of Records and Seal—W. T. Newsum.  
Master of Exchange—H. C. Curry.  
Master of Finance—A. H. Simmons.  
Master at Arms—G. L. Simmons.  
Master of Work—M. F. Goins.  
Trustee—G. L. Simmons.

## WHITE RIBBON COLUMN

Edited by Mrs. Thos. Weir

Motto—Do all the good you can, to all people you can, whenever you can.

Meetings first and third Tuesdays. Everybody welcome.

Are you not glad you went to the infirmary after seeing the good smiling welcome that you received? Let us thank God we can do something to cheer and brighten some one's lives outside our own. Grant us peace at our own hearthstones, but let us try to bring peace and joy to others also. Let us always be kind to the unfortunate.

A married woman in Switzerland is entitled to one-third of her husband's income as her independent property, according to a new law. In some cases it would be well to have that law in America, not wise in others, we are sorry to say.

### A Butcher's Comment

There's your whole temperance sermon in the reply of the butcher who was asked for a dollar toward temperance. "There's your dollar," said he. "I've sold more meat in a day since this town went no-license than I used to in a week when we had saloons. If old toppers will get it any how, let them, but let sensible citizens avoid raising a new crop of toppers from young men and boys, through the open saloon."

### Sober Reflections

Who wants a drunkard for a husband, a wife, a brother, a sister, a business partner, an employee, a companion or a friend? Then why should we want the drunkard factory kept running?

Every asylum is an argument against the grog shop, for more than half the inmates are the products of rum. In advertising the sale of properties it is often mentioned that they are convenient to stores, schools, churches, etc., but never that they are convenient to saloons; therefore, saloons must tend to decrease the value of property.

There are 36,000,000 children of school age under temperance educational laws. In 1882 there were none. Adrian Iselin, a New York millionaire, has purchased a road house near Fort Slooem and turned it into a temperance tavern for the soldiers to save their wages.

A little drop of drink, that makes the eyes grow dim,  
A little drop of drink takes the manhood out of him,  
A little drop of drink brings the wolf to many a door,  
A little drop of drink makes bare the cottage floor,  
A little drop of drink ponder it, neighbors, well,  
A little drop of drink can bring your soul to hell.

Local railroad day is June 9. At Painesville, O., May 5, a party of men visited the court house and jail, but only stayed 25 minutes. But the party was the Lake county grand jury. For the first time in the memory of the inhabitants it did not find a single case to investigate, so the slight was so light they turned to marble halls and bronze light with rejoicing.

So everybody in Painesville was glad that they were dry. Fredericktown Union received \$28 as a gift-day memento from the people. Good for Fredericktown. But that Union is a hustler. Tennessee passed a state wide prohibition law and then a pro-liquor governor. A leading temperance party it is hoped, will be promoted now.

Let your hopes rise with the sign of good cheer. Look out for another contest. W. C. T. U. held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Earlywine on Oak street, with a good attendance.

Meeting opened with song. Devotionals.  
Ninth Psalm by Mrs. Mason.  
White Ribbon song by society.  
Treasurer's report.  
Committee reported on exchange. One more exchange Saturday.  
Y. M. C. A. debt hoped to be liquidated by the next meeting.  
Miss Lucella Mitchell was made secretary.

retary pro tem. Parliamentary supt. took charge of the program, which was carried out in regular order.

Mrs. McIntire, chairman.  
Miss Mitchell, secretary.  
With temporary officers.  
Committee on By-Laws.  
Committee by chair.

Mrs. Nixon, Creveling.  
Was thoroughly enjoyed by all.  
Program railroad work: Mrs. Dorsey, leader; and a very instructive reading was read by Mrs. Dorsey.  
Mrs. Creveling, Mrs. Stephens, Mrs. Clarke.

Solo, Mrs. Weir.  
Reading, Mrs. Johnson.  
Reading, Mrs. Jenkins.  
Reading, Mrs. Nixon.  
Solo, Lucella Mitchell.  
Recitation, Charles Wright.  
Adjourned to meet with Mrs. Sockman on W. High street.

Social hour followed and delicious refreshments were served.  
A most delightful afternoon was enjoyed by all, and after the doxology was sung all departed for their homes feeling it was good to be there.

## THE ELKS

### Initiate Six Into Membership On Tuesday Evening

At a regular meeting of Mt. Vernon lodge, No. 140, B. P. O. Elks, held on Tuesday evening six were initiated into membership, and one petition was received. Following the work a most enjoyable social session was held.

At the business session the resignation of Mr. George Aitpaugh as Leading Knight, was received and accepted. Mr. Earl Bastian was elected to fill the vacancy and Mr. Edward L. Parker was elected Loyal Knight to succeed Mr. Bastian. Mr. W. C. Appleton was elected to the office of Lecturing Knight.

By a unanimous vote Mt. Zion lodge, No. 9, F. & A. M., was granted the use of the lodge room on the day of the Masonic centennial celebration, June 24.

## OBITUARY

Mrs. Fanny Schaeffer  
Prosecuting Attorney and Mrs. James A. Schaeffer left Wednesday afternoon for Kippling, Pa., called there by a telegram conveying the sad news of the death of Mr. Schaeffer's mother, Mrs. Fanny Schaeffer. The funeral and interment will occur in Pennsylvania.

Rollin Plummer  
Rollin Plummer died at his home in Mansfield Wednesday morning at about ten o'clock after a week's illness of appendicitis. The deceased was formerly of this city and for several years a member of the Mt. Vernon police force. At the time of his death, he was captain of the guards at the Ohio State Reformatory, having held that office for some time. He was fifty-two years of age and is survived by his mother, Mrs. Liza Plummer, four brothers, Alfred of Wabash, Ind., Philip of Fredericktown, Charles of Logansport, Indiana, and Jess of Cleveland, Ohio, and one sister, Mrs. O. Ransom of this city, also one daughter. The funeral at Mansfield Friday afternoon at one-thirty o'clock. Interment at Mansfield.

Miss Martha Spohn  
Miss Martha Spohn died at her home on West Vine street Wednesday night at about eleven o'clock after a several months' illness caused by a complication of diseases. She was about twenty-five years of age at the time of her death and is survived by her father, brother and several sisters. The remains will be taken to Butler, Ohio, Friday morning where the funeral will be held. Interment at Butler.

### WHEATON COLLEGE FIFTY YEARS OLD

Wheaton, Ill., June 9.—Arrangements have been completed for the celebration of the semi-centennial of Wheaton College, which will begin tomorrow and continue until next Wednesday. Alumni and Alumnae of the college have arrived here from all parts of the country to take part in the jubilee of their Alma Mater. The college was established in 1860 and is among the best co-educational institutions on a small scale in this section of the country. Among its alumni are many Congregational ministers in the West and many other parts of the United States.

\*\*\*The Knights of the Maccabees of Brandon will have memorial services at the Baptist church at Brandon at 2:30, standard time, Sunday afternoon. All members are requested to be at the hall at 2 o'clock. Rev. L. O. Newcomer of Mt. Vernon will deliver the memorial address.

## JUNE SALE MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Every June, as our patrons know, we have an extensive sale of MUSLIN UNDERWEAR. For it we make preparations months in advance. On this occasion many satisfy their needs for the entire year. Considering prices on cotton fabrics, our offerings tomorrow are very unusual.

### Corset Covers

Cambric Corset Covers. Trimmed in front with embroidery insertion and ribbon run bead ing ..... 19c

Nainsook Corset Covers. Wide embroidery insertion. Round neck, trimmed with val. .... 39c

Fine Nainsook Covers. Insertion edging and ribbon-run bead-ing. Armholes lace edged. Very dainty ..... 79c

### Drawers

Cambric Drawers. Generously cut on well fitting lines. Deep hem-stitched and tucked ruffle. .... 39c

Fine Cambric Drawers. Smooth fitting over hips, flaring prettily below. Deep ruffle. .... 59c

Nainsook Drawers. With a deep ruffle of embroidery in new and attractive patterns. .... 79c

### Ladies' Gowns

Gowns of soft Cambric. Made low round neck and ribbon-run bead-ing; short sleeves. .... 59c

Gowns of Fine Cambric. Low V-shaped neck, yoke of embroidery lace edge. .... 98c

Gowns of Fine Cambric. Fancy lace yoke, dainty inserts. Round neck, finished with lace. .... \$1.49

### Muslin Skirts

Cambric Skirts. Deep flounce with wide tucks. Finished with wide embroidery ruffle. .... 98c

Durable Skirt. Deep flounce with 2 clusters of tucks. Embroid-ery edge, pretty pattern. .... 79c

Soft Cambric Skirts. Two section lawn flounce, trimmed with wide solid lace ruffle, lace edge ..... \$1.49

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## WRECK

### Near St. Louis Results In Three Deaths

St. Louis, June 9.—Three persons were killed and eight injured, several seriously, early today, when Iron Mountain train No. 7, known as the Fast Mail, running between St. Louis and Texarkana, Ark., was derailed and ditched on the outskirts of St. Louis. The engine and four cars went into the ditch when the engine was derailed, by some unknown cause, on a double curve. But one passenger was injured.

### TO CONTROL GRAIN OUTPUT

Spokane, Wash., June 9.—Preliminary have been completed for the consummation of a gigantic plan in which the grain growers of eastern Washington and Oregon, north and central Idaho, and western Montana are greatly interested and which is expected to be of great benefit to them by placing them in a position to sell their wheat at the greatest profit by eliminating the middleman. At a meeting to hold here tomorrow the Farmers' Warehouse Association of the Inland Empire, controlling approximately forty per cent of the sixty million bushels of wheat annually harvested in the district referred to, will be formally organized under the direction of officers of the Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union of America. The immediate object of the plan is to pool the grain grown in this part of the Northwest and sell it in lots of 100,000 bushels and upward direct to millers and exporters, charging the growers not more than one cent per bushel for handling and marketing the grain.

### DRUMMERS BOOM PROSPERITY

New York, June 9.—The annual convention of the New York Grand Council of the United Commercial Travelers Association, which opened here today at the Manhattan Beach Hotel, has a significance and purpose beyond that of a mere gathering for the transaction of business and a jolly good time of the members and delegates of the big organization, which has a membership of more than 60,000. One of the objects of the convention is to boom the country's prosperity and give expression to the general satisfaction with existing business conditions. It is estimated that fully fifteen thousand traveling men from all parts of the state have invaded New York and they, as well as the thousands located in New York City and vicinity will take part in the grand "prosperity parade" which will form the principal feature of the program for next Saturday. The parade, which is to include nearly fifty industrial and allegorical floats, and will be accompanied by scores of music bands, will start from the Battery and march northward through the principal streets of the business district of Manhattan. The feature of tomorrow night will be a monster banquet with speeches by distinguished orators, at the Manhattan Beach hotel.

As you get older there is always something to worry about.

## The Guarantee Shoe Store's

20 per cent OFF Money-Saving Oxford Sale 20 per cent OFF

This is a great opportunity for you to purchase your footwear for summer, at a saving of twenty cents on every dollar you spend, during the next Fifteen days.

### A BACKWARD SEASON

and our spring stock being large, are the reasons why we are offering you these goods at prices that certainly will appeal to economical buyers.

## Sale Begins Friday, June 10th

Ending Saturday Night, June 25th

To give you some idea of the Bargains we are offering, we quote the following prices

### Men's Oxfords

Stacy Adams \$5 and \$6 grades, black and tan ..... \$3.98  
Men's \$4 Oxfords, \$3.20  
\$3.50 Oxfords, \$2.80  
\$3.00 grades at, \$2.40  
The \$2.50 kind at, \$1.98



The goods comprise the best of styles. From the Highest Arch and heel to the lowest heel and broadest toe.

### Ladies' Oxfords

Red Cross Oxfords and pumps, \$3.50 values, now ..... \$2.80  
Ladies' \$3.00 Oxfords & pumps at ..... \$2.40  
The \$2.50 grades at ..... \$1.98  
\$2.00 Oxfords and pumps at ..... \$1.60

## The Guarantee Shoe Store

122 S. Main St.

MT. VERNON, O.

Opposite Meyer-Lindorf's

## TERRIBLE

### Injuries Sustained By R. C. Anderson's Horse

### Jumped Astride Hitching Post—Was Disemboweled

A valuable black horse owned by Mr. Robert C. Anderson, the contractor and builder, met with a terrible accident on Braddock street late Wednesday afternoon and it was necessary to shoot the animal five times before death resulted. The horse was attached to a wagon and while Mr. Anderson was doing some work near by the animal frightened at some object and ran away. On Braddock street the horse jumped astride a hitching post with the result that it was disemboweled. The animal suffered terrible agony until Mr. Anderson secured a revolver and after firing four times failed to reach a vital spot turned the weapon over to a stranger who put the horse out of its suffering with one shot.

## MUSIC

### To Be One Of The Features Of The Assembly

### Started On Main Building At Bridge Works

Every lover of music in Knox county, and that certainly means a large number of people, will have cause to patronize Hiawatha assembly this year. One of the organizations that will be here is the Ziegler-Howe Star Symphony club, which will entertain Tuesday afternoon and evening, July 26. All who enjoy the finest of music should write this date down. The club is composed of soloists, and the numbers by Mr. Ziegler, violinist, and Mr. Howe, flute, are well worth the small price charged for the whole season's ticket. For July 27 and 28, the National Chautauqua band had been secured. This band uses three different costumes and is one of the finest in the whole country. Besides giving concerts at the auditorium at 2 o'clock both afternoons, the band will enliven the park with concerts and will play down on the street. The assembly opens July 25.

## WORK

### Started On Main Building At Bridge Works

### GOOD FISH STORY

Work on the main building of the new Mt. Vernon Bridge works was started at noon Wednesday when the first column was put up and the first truss joined together. Owing to the rainy weather the work has been somewhat retarded, but it is the expectation to push the work as rapidly as possible on the main building. West Brewster, Mass., June 9.—While cleaning a codfish he had bought for 45 cents, Stanley Kedder today found in the fish a diamond ring worth \$150. The ring was engraved on the inside "K. D. O. 1904."

A Tennessee farmer made a noise like a squirrel to fool a hunter, and succeeded. We hope the dear departed is where he can laugh at his little joke.

You can now see the comet almost as plainly as you can see the air in an electric light bulb.

## The New Knox National Bank

Mt. Vernon, Ohio

**I**N addition to its excellent facilities, this bank has the advantage of an abundant capital, a good board of directors, and a strong body of stockholders.